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ALEXANDRIA, VA., WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 25, 1892.

PRICE 2 CTS.

MEDICINAL.

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

The Connecting Link between Health and Happiness is **Brown's Iron Bitters**, The Famous Tonic.

It strengthens the system, purifies the blood, creates appetite, gives tension to the muscles, and tones the nerves.

Cures Malaria, Neuralgia and Dyspepsia.

HEALTH THE BEST TONIC HAPPINESS

DRY GOODS.

GENTLEMEN,

By Henry Flannel Shirts,
By Seaside Shirts in Madras,
By Seaside Shirts in Satine,
By Seaside Shirts in Silk,
By Seaside Shirts in Outing,
By Seaside Shirts in Canvas,
By Boat Club Shirts,
By Summer Merino Shirts,
By Summer Gauze Shirts,
By Seaside Thread Shirts,
By French Ballroom Shirts,
By Seaside Shirts,
By Perfect-fitting Shirts,
By Shirts at all prices, go to

J.R. Chapman's

424 KING STREET,
Alexandria, Virginia.

NOTABLE BARGAINS THIS WEEK

BENDHEIM'S.

Loss of 2500 yards of Printed Bedford
beds in beautiful designs, warranted to
last at 9c per yard.
Bygone (1200 yards) Emblem Suitings in
opposite paid designs, full 36 inches wide, at
8c per yard.
Bygone (3000 yards) Challies, large variety
of designs and blacks, at the low price of 5c
per yard.
Bygone (3000 yards) Muslin, in the latest
designs, at 6c per yard.
Bygone (3000 yards) Corded in tan shades that
we now offer at 62c to close out.
We are showing popular shades in Faille
and China Silks; also Blacks.
We have the new patented Combination
Bed Springs, rubber, linen, canvas and vel-
vet binding, "three (3) in one piece," in
all colors; also Elastic Skirt Protectors.
100 rolls NEW CHINA MATTINGS at
reduced prices.
Just received a large invoice of PARASOLS
and SUN UMBRELLAS for ladies, gents and
children. These goods were bought direct
from one of the most reliable manufacturers
in this country, and are warranted to give
satisfaction.
We have added largely to our WHITE GOODS
stock India Linens, Nainsooks, Plain Mus-
lins, Hemstitched and Embroidered Floun-
ces, Malls in white and colors; also a good line of
Black Wash Fabrics.
We are showing a line of Children's Percal-
e and Waists. The 25 and 50c qualities are
really good values.
We are opening a new line of Silk and Ta-
feta Gloves and Mitts for summer wear.
D. BENDHEIM, 316 King street.
We are selling agents for the celebrated
WHITE SEWING MACHINE.

Right at Your Doors.

WE HAVE SO ARRANGED THINGS,
THAT WE CAN DELIVER ALL GOODS
RIGHT AT YOUR DOOR. THE SAME
DAY AS PURCHASED. THIS
WILL BE RECOGNIZED AS A
CONVENIENCE BY OUR MANY
CUSTOMERS WHO RESIDE IN ALEXAN-
DRIA.

REMEMBER, WE CARRY AS COM-
PLETE A LINE OF DRY AND FANCY
GOODS AS YOU FIND ANYWHERE IN
THE UNITED STATES. OUR FORTY-
SIX DEPARTMENTS ALWAYS BRIM-
FUL OF NEW THINGS.

LANSBURGH & Bro.,

420, 422, 424 & 426 SEVENTH ST.,
Washington, D. C.

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER,

FOR THE
SPRING AND SUMMER OF 1892,

Has opened a large stock of
LADIES', GENTS' AND CHILDREN'S
UNDERWEAR, NOTIONS
AND DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS,
At prices that will give satisfaction to all who
will favor him with a call.
AMOS B. SLAYMAKER,
No. 420 King street.

LEGAL.

NOTICE—All persons indebted to the late
firm of HEWES & AITCHESON are
hereby notified that they must settle the same
before the first day of June, 1892, or I will
be compelled to bring suit, as I am required to
close the affairs of said firm as early as possi-
ble.
D. W. AITCHESON,
Surviving partner.

SUMMERS & BROTHER,

Manufacturers and Dealers in
CARRIAGES

AND SPRING WAGONS.

We have on hand the largest stock of Car-
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THE GAZETTE.

Lower Fairfax Items.

Miss Addie Lyles has been very ill,
but we are glad to hear is recovering.

Miss Gilbert, of Washington, was on
a visit to Mrs. Mistlead last Sunday, re-
turning home Monday morning.

Mrs. Laura Howard, of your city, and
her sister, Miss Annie Trice, spent last
Sunday with friends in Mason's Neck.

Mr. Keating S. Nelson, who was the
lay delegate from the Pollock and Olivet
churches to the Episcopal Council at
Danville, is now visiting relatives in
Bedford county.

Mr. John Mason shipped last week
from his farm, near Accotink, the first
ripe strawberries of the season. They
were of the kind known as Crystal City
and brought 25 cents a quart.

The last improvement at Mount Ver-
non has been the fitting up of the spin-
ning room. The loom, with its "home-
spun" carpet in process of weaving,
gives this generation some idea of the
plantation industries of their forefath-
ers.

The Governor of Virginia and the
Board of Visitors appointed by him will
visit Mount Vernon during the session
of the Ladies' Association, on Tuesday,
the 7th inst. The advisory board,
of which the Hon. G. W. Childs is, and
the late Senator Barbour was a member,
will also be there the same day.

Last Sunday was observed as the an-
nual "Flower Sunday" at Pollock
Church. The church was beautifully
decorated with a profusion of spring
flowers, much to the satisfaction of the
children of the Ministering League,
who feared that as roses were late in
blooming the decorations would not be
as abundant as in past years. The
children's service was bright and
cheerful. Notwithstanding the coolness
and uncertainty of the weather a large
congregation was present at church.

Mrs. John Landstreet, widow of the
late Rev. John Landstreet, is visiting
the family of her brother-in-law, Mr. A.
C. Landstreet. Miss Mary E. of the
first street has returned home for a short
time, much to the gratification of her
family and friends.

We have had an opportunity of see-
ing the incubator which Mr. W. R.
Ward purchased some time ago and the
acc. of sending out into the world its nu-
merous progeny. It is a most strange
and interesting sight to watch through
its glass windows the eggs and every
stage of incubation from the first tiny
pips of the little prisoners till they
emerge, dapp and limp, from the shell.
The warm, genial atmosphere of their
new home soon warms and dries them,
and they are then ready to be put in to
brooder, a separate place, where they
remain till they are old and strong
enough to take care of themselves.
"There is nothing new under the sun,"
for the ancient Egyptians discovered
long ago that eggs could be hatched by
artificial means. This incubator has a
capacity for hatching 200 chickens at
one time and is a most complete and
easily managed contrivance.

LAST CONFEDERATE FLAG.—A writer
in the St. Louis *Republic* says in a let-
ter:

"The Confederate flag Webb left at
Alexandria, La., on Red river, at 4 o'clock
in the morning of April 21, 1865, to run
the blockade of gunboats in the Mis-
sissippi river, to Havana, Cuba, with
a cargo of 180 bales of cotton. For lack
of coal, she took on 100 cords of pine
wood.

We had a crew mostly composed of
men from Shelby's Missouri troops, and
of course, no seamen. We passed the
mouth of Red river, where a fleet of
five of the best monitors in the Federal
navy were on guard looking for us, at
9 o'clock the night at a tremen-
dous speed, and would have gotten
through if we had kept on; but Capt.
Read was uneasy about the telegraph
wires not being cut, and we made sev-
eral landings during the night.

So daylight found us just below Baton
Rouge and we were forced by a gun-
boat coming on behind us to go ahead.
We passed New Orleans at 12:10
o'clock that day and were fired at by
the gunboats in front of the city.
They shot eleven 5-inch guns at us
and struck us twice, but did not dis-
able us in any way. After they fired
the second shot we changed the flag,
stars and stripes, which we had at half-
mast in mourning for the death of Pre-
sident Lincoln, and ran the confederate
flag to the masthead.

This was probably the last confederate
flag displayed in defiance of the
union. Our crew, as I stated at the
first, were all landmen and were not
accustomed to the rough usage of a
sailor's life, so being up all the night
before they were worn out, and we
could not keep up steam. So we called
a council of war and rather than sacri-
fice the lives of the men, we con-
fined to run the ship ashore and set
her on fire, which we did at a place
called McColl's Flats, twenty-eight
miles below New Orleans.

We did not lose a single one out of a
crew of seventy-two men. One, a Mis-
souri chap, was struck in the calf of the
leg by a ball of shot cut in two by a
15-inch shell from the Yankee gun-
boats. We were captured, or a part of
us, April 23, 1865; whether we were
the last I cannot say.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts,
Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever
Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains,
Corns and all Skin Affections, and positively
cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaran-
teed to give perfect relief, and money re-
funded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by
C. G. Lennon, 606 King street.

For Over Fifty Years.

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs.
Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for
over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS
for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with
PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD,
SOFTENS THE GUM, ALLAYS ALL PAIN; CURES
WIND COLIC and is the best remedy for DI-
ARRHGEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of
the world. Its value is incalculable. Be sure
and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup,
and take no substitute.

For Rent—Two Beautiful

MUNICIPAL ROOMS, with a large at-
tached storeroom; water, gas, modern improve-
ments; freshly repaired and painted. Inquire
at the corner of the street.
Apply to R. F. KNOX, 216 King street.
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WM. MURRAY,

MERCHANT TAILOR

NO. 517 KING STREET,
Alexandria, Va.

Inform his customers that he has received a
supply of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
And is now prepared to furnish suits in all
the latest styles and on reasonable terms.

PAINT YOUR OWN BUGGY—Just re-
ceived the following new line of Colors:
Olive Green, Ponceau, Ecru, and Jet Black.
Black. Call for sample. For sale by
W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

MEDICINAL.

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NERVE & BONE

UNIMENT

THE GREAT

EXTERNAL REMEDY

For Man and Beast,

STONEBRAKER'S UNIMENT

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Sciatica, Rheumatism, Pain in the Side and Limbs,
Spasms, Burns, Cuts, Bruises, Chilblains, Frost
Bites, Inflammations, Itch, Scalds, Swelled Joints,
Croup, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Stomach Disorders,
Cough, Whooping Cough, Spasmodic Cough, and all
the ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. It is a
perfectly safe and reliable remedy, and is the only
one of its kind in the world. It is sold in bottles of
one, two, and four ounces, and is of a pleasant
taste. Price 25 cents, 50 cents, and \$1.00 per bottle.

"POISONED!"

Two hundred and thirty-six persons died recently
from the effects of poison taken in ice cream and
pastry flavored with adulterated flavoring extracts.
Do you want to be poisoned? Then be careful when
buying extracts from this. To select proper material
for the flavoring requires a thorough knowledge of chem-
istry, without which one is almost sure of doing
harm. Ask for Stonebraker's Concentrated
Flavoring Extracts. They are the world's standard,
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Richmond, Va. New York City, Philadelphia, Pa.
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other cities. Do not be deceived by cheap manu-
factures throughout the world. All flavors, 5, 10, 15 and
25 cents a bottle, also sold in pints, quarts, gallons and
barrels.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers,
Ask the Indian Shop. It makes china, glass,
porcelain, jewelry, etc., and everything outside of
Price 6 cents the world.

MEETINGS.

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the annual
meeting of the stockholders of the "WASH-
INGTON REAL ESTATE COMPANY" will be
held in the principal office of the company,
No. 300 King street, Alexandria, Va., on the
first MONDAY, June 6, 1892, at 1 o'clock
p. m., for the election of officers for the ensu-
ing year, and the transaction of such other
business as may properly come before said
meeting. Books for the transfer of stock will
be closed on Friday, June 3, to Monday, June
6, 1892, both dates inclusive. By order of
the Board of Directors.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.—The annual meeting of
stockholders of the PEOPLES WASH-
INGTON AND NORFOLK STEAMBOAT
COMPANY, for the election of nine directors
and for such other business as may be brought
before it, will be held at 106 South Fairfax
street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., on
WEDNESDAY, June 8. Poll open from 12
to 1 p. m.

J. W. THOMPSON, President.
ROSS THOMPSON, Secretary. my19 1t

**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DI-
RECTORS.**—A meeting of the stockhold-
ers of the People's Gas Saving Association of
Baltimore, Md., will be held at the principal
office of the association, No. 216 & 218 King
street, city of Alexandria, Va., on WEDNES-
DAY, June 15, 1892, at 1 o'clock p. m., to
consider important affairs of the association.
CHARLES H. DICKSON,
my13 1t Secretary.

GENERAL MEETING OF THE stock-

holders of the WASHINGTON, ALEXAN-
DRIA AND MOUNT VERNON ELECTRIC
RAILWAY COMPANY, will be held at its
principal office, 404 South Fairfax street,
Alexandria, Va., at 10 a. m. on MONDAY,
June 6th, 1892.

By order of the Board of Directors.
my3 1t L. W. SPEAR, Secretary.

WANTED.

HONEST, ENERGETIC

MEN to solicit orders for nursery stock;
expenses and salary to men who can leave
home and work steady; also commissions to
local agents; write for terms and territory.
Address R. G. CHASE & CO., 1430 S. Penn
square, Philadelphia, Pa. ap7 2aw2m

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at HENRY BAADER'S,
King st., Alexandria, Va.

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(Formerly of Perry, Smoot & Co.
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PERRY & SON,

Lumber Merchants,

OFFICE NO. 128 KING ST.,
Alexandria, Va.

Dealers in Doors, Sash, Blinds, Mouldings,
Cement, Calced Plaster, Lime
Hair, Nails, &c.

Dressed Lumber kept under cover.
[ESTABLISHED OVER 60 YEARS.]

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DEALERS IN

LUMBER,

Shingles, Laths, Nails, Cement, Calced
Plaster, &c.

MANUFACTURERS OF

FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS,
FRAMES, MOUNTING MATERIALS,
AND ALL KINDS OF WOOD WORK.

Office and yard No. 21 north Union street.
Factory Nos. 13 and 15 north Lee st., Alex-
andria, Va. No charge for delivery in city.

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(Successors to J. Rector Smoot & Co.)

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Safe Deposit Company.

An Absolute Safeguard Against Fire and
Burglary.

Boxes small and large, rented for short and
long terms. Reasonable rates. Vaults open for
inspection and for use of boxholders from 8 a.
m. to 6 p. m. daily except Sunday.

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S. W. cor. King and Fairfax sts., Alex., Va.
OFFICERS:
F. E. Corbett, President.
Louis C. Barley, Vice President.
A. A. Warfield, Secretary and Treasurer.
Directors—S. G. Brent, C. C. Carlin, J. K. M.
Norton, A. A. Warfield, L. C. Barley and F. E.
Corbett. my24 1m

Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co

U. S. BRANCH, JAN'Y 1st, 1892.

ASSETS, \$7,862,847 26

LIABILITIES, 4,976,626 5

SURPLUS, \$2,886,220 75

Losses paid in United States in 44 years,
\$52,749,048. This large sum in conjunction
with the growth of the company's business,
evidence of the confidence of the public and the
faithfulness with which its losses are ad-
justed and paid.

my10 PHILIP B. HOOE, Agent.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER,
406 and 408 King st., Alexandria, Va.

Now offers a full stock of Stylish
SPRING & SUMMER HATS,

American and Imported.
UMBRELLAS A SPECIALTY.

Not responsible for hats left at store
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C. W. HOWELL,

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Canes, Umbrellas, &c.,

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Have now in stock the latest styles of
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BOOTS AND SHOES.

WHO SAYS WE ARE NOT IN IT?

300 pairs Infants' Red Shoes at 50c.
1000 pairs Tennis, black and check, 45c.
500 pairs Canvas Shoes, 75c.
1000 pairs Wiggins, all colors, 50c.
400 pairs Ladies' House Slippers, 45c.
1500 pairs Oxford Ties, tipped, 50c.
250 pairs Douglas Button Shoes, 85c.

And don't you forget that in our annex we
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ies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods, Clothing,
Dry Goods, Trunks, &c.

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LADIES' SHOES.

THE PERFECTION ADJUSTABLE

Require no breaking in.
A narrower shoe can be
worn.

Prevents damp, cold,
Tender and Tired Feet, thus
avoiding doctors' bills.

They fit like a glove.
They do not spread or
break at the side.

Flexible, Durable, Eleg-
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Ladies, call and examine
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All sizes in latest Opera
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Come and Look.

**THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF
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BUILDING LOTS.

THE BOOM IS ON!

Electric Railway now building—Manufactures Located and
Investigating—Important Announcements will soon
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of Northern Capital will be invested
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IMPORTANT LOT SALE!

This beautiful addition is located at St. Asaph Junction,
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graded. Hourly trains stop immediately at this Addition to
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LOTS \$200.

\$20 Cash. \$10 Monthly Payments.

Buy now, before the railway is built, and get advantage of
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For full particulars call on or address

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Of unusual activity has started
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SPRING CLOTHING

For men and boys,
which is cheaper than ever be-
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My store is stocked with
hundreds of nice Business Suits
at \$5, 6.00, 7.50, 8.50 and 10,
well-made, nicely-fitting and of
serviceable material.

My line of \$12, 13.50, 15,
16.50, 18 and 20 Suits, in cut-
away or sack, has never been
equalled heretofore in this city.

All the latest shades of
Woodbrown, Cheviots, Saw-
yers, Charlottesville and other
well-known makes, together
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cut and finely finished as
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Children's Short Pants and
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Trunks, very low for cash at
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